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## PRESS RELEASE

Date/Time of Release: Wednesday, November 17, 2010  
Date/Time of Occurrence: Nov. 12 to Nov. 14, 2010  
Nature of Event: Reward Offered in Cemetery Vandalism  
Location of Call: Manzanita Cemetery, Lincoln, CA  
Released by: Dena Erwin, PIO (530) 889-6901

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**SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:**

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Placer County Crime Stoppers is offering up to \$1,000 in reward money for information leading to an arrest or arrests for a massive vandalism at the Manzanita Cemetery near Lincoln last weekend.

Placer County Sheriff's deputies were called to the cemetery Monday after officials at the remote cemetery discovered 100 to 150 tombstones had been turned over, pulled out of the ground or broken in pieces, sometime between Friday and Sunday.

Damage is estimated at more than \$100,000. Some of the tombstones were more than 100 years old.

Placer County Crime Stoppers is a non-profit group that works in cooperation with each law enforcement agency in the county to reduce crime. Board members are concerned citizens who work with law enforcement advisors. Through Placer County Crime Stoppers' toll-free phone number, 1-800-923-8191, callers can provide confidential information to law enforcement for cash rewards. All callers remain anonymous. Go to [www.placercrimestoppers.com](http://www.placercrimestoppers.com) for further information.

